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In re Application of	)
BEATE HEIMBERG et al.	) ) Entitled:
Serial No.: 09/530,653	) PRODUCT, PARTICULARLY COMPONENT
Filed: May 3, 2000	) OF A GAS TURBINE, WITH CERAMIC ) THERMAL BARRIER COATING
Attorney Docket No.: 97P 8646	)

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## RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 USC 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (EO/EO/US)

In response to the enclosed copy of NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION, dated July 24, 2000, enclosed is one (1) executed DECLARATION FOR UTILITY OR DESIGN PATENT APPLICATION document.

Also enclosed is a check for \$1520.00, which is payment for late filing of this Declaration (\$130.00), and a four month extension of time (\$1390.00) which provides a period for response up to December 24, 2000. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2556.

Respectfully submitted,

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FIRST NAMED APPLICANT ATTY. DOCKET NO U.S. APPLICATION NO HEIMBERG В 97P 8646P 09/530653 INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/DE98/03207 11 STANWIX STREET I.A. FILING DATE PITTSBURGH, PA 15222

DANIEL C ABELES WESTINGHOUSE ELECTRIC CORP 03 NOV 98 DATE MAILED: 24 NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) Questry Parts

Plus 8-24-00 1. The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Tracking ark Office as a Designated Office (37 CFR 1.494), an Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495): U.S. Basic National Fee. X Copy of the international application in: a non-English language. English. X Translation of the international application into English. Oath or Declaration of inventors(s) for DO/EO/US. Copy of Article 19 amendments. Translation of Article 19 amendments into English. The International Preliminary Examination Report in English and its Annexes, if any. Translation of Annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report into English. Preliminary amendment(s) filed \_\_\_\_\_ 03 May 00 ☐ Information Disclosure Statement(s) filed and Assignment document. Power of Attorney and/or Change of Address. ☐ Substitute specification filed ☐ Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status. Copy of the International Search Report X and copies of the references cited therein. Other: 2. The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371: a. Translation of the application into English. Note a processing fee will be required if submitted later than the appropriate 20 or 30 months from the priority date. ☐ The current translation is defective for the reasons indicated on the attached Notice of Defective b. Processing fee for providing the translation of the application and/or the Annexes later than the appropriate 20 or 30 months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(f)). 🗷 c. Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. ☐ The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) for the reasons indicated on the attached PCT/DO/EO/917. 🔣 d. Surcharge for providing the oath or declaration later than the appropriate 20 or 30 months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)). as a  $\square$  large entity  $\square$  small entity, including any required multiple dependent 3. Additional claim fees of \$ claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due. See attached PTO-875. ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH IN 2(a)-2(d) AND 3 ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN ONE MONTH FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY  $\square$  21 OR ot M 31 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT. The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a). 4. Translation of the Annexes MUST be submitted no later that the time period set above or the annexes will be cancelled. Note processing fee will be required if submitted later than 30 months from the priority date. The Article 19 amendments are cancelled since a translation was not provided by the appropriate 20 (37 CFR. Applicant is reminded that any communication to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the

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First Named Inventor	Beate Heimberg
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Applicant claims small entity status.	139 130 139	9 130	Non-English specification	
See 37 CFR 1.27	147 2,520 147	7 2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination.	
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114 150 214 75 Provisional filing fee		8 1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
SUBTOTAL(1) (\$) 0.00	140 110 240		Petition to revive - unavoidable	
2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES	141 1,240 24		Petition to revive - unintentional	
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Total Claims -20** = 0, X = 0.00	143 440 243		Design issue fee	
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Claims =	122 130 122	2 130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
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103 18 203 9 Claims in excess of 20	30, 40 00	. 40	property (times number of properties)	
102 80 202 40 Independent claims in excess of 3	146 710 246	355	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
104 270 204 135 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid 109 80 209 40 ** Reissue independent claims	149 710 249	355	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
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